

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents as follows.

In the Specification

Please amend the title of the invention on page 1, line 2, of the application as follows:

-- METHODS FOR MODULATING IMMUNE RESPONSE USING MODULATORS OF NOTCH INTRACELLULAR DOMAIN PROTEASE ACTIVITY --

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 19, as follows:

-- Examples of agonists of presenilin which may be used in the present invention include Nicastrin or ALG-3 or a nucleic acid sequence which encodes therefor. An example of an antagonist of presenilin which may be used in the present invention is 26S proteasome or a nucleic acid sequence which encodes therefor. Synthetic inhibitors include, for example, the difluoro ketone inhibitor described in Citron *et al.*, and Wolfe *et al.* having the formula

Formula I:

